

MINUTES
MASSACHUSETTS AFL/CIO
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 17, 1988
BOSTON TEACHERS UNION HALL

PRESENT: Pres. Osborn, Sec.-Treas. Haynes, Exec. V. P. Faherty, Vice Presidents Abdow, Alman, Cardinal, Chirillo, Dart, Irvin, Joyce, Kamel, Leahy, LeBlanc, Mills, Ollivierre, Phinney, Romano, Thomas, Walsh

ABSENT: Exec. Vice Presidents Lydon and Farmer (u.b.), Vice Presidents Burke, Butler, Chigas, Ciejka, Collins, Conley, DeRosa, Devlin (u.b.), Ferris (u.b.), Foley (u.b.), Kerr (u.b.), Lima (u.b.), Mahar (u.b.), McDevitt (u.b.), Mullane (u.b.), Simmons (u.b.), Thompson (u.b.), Williams (u.b.)

Meeting opened with a prayer by Vice Pres. Cardinal.

MMS to accept minutes of last month's meeting. So voted.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Pres. Osborn reported on his activities over the past month:

- Testified with V.P. Romano on behalf of the MBTA workers on Senate Bill 1812.

- Communicated in regard to the Quincy Shipyard, which is a breath away from a successful conclusion.

- Worked on the Guilford Railroad situation. The local people in this union want to be affiliated with the Mass. AFL/CIO but the National has pulled out. Discussion took place on possible plans to coordinate a rally with the C.L.C.'s in the western part of the state on behalf of Guilford -- possibly hire a bus with officers from different unions. V.P. Dart agreed to coordinate this event.

MMS for the Mass. AFL/CIO to sponsor a rally in support of Guilford Railroad workers. So voted.

- Attended Summup yearly meeting with V.P. Olliviere.

- Attended and spoke at the dinner honoring Walter Meuther.

- Met with Peter diCicco who requested help on the IUE Blue Cross/Blue Shield organizing drive. Coordinated a meeting between him and John Larkin Thompson of Blue Cross/Blue Shield.

- Spoke at the opening meeting of the AFL/CIO Regional Organizing Meeting being held at the Boston Teachers Union Hall.

The National election discussed -- Pres. Osborn advised that although Governor Dukakis was not successful, we all look forward to working with him for the future of Massachusetts.

- Spoke in Fall River at rally for the Question #2 campaign.

- Spoke in New Bedford at the request of V.P. Olliviere for the Governor and also on Question 2 -- the President reported that this was an excellent event.

- Pres. Osborn advised that the COPE Program has moved forward and he was pleased with the results showing many winners for Labor.

- Question #4 discussed briefly. Pres. Osborn congratulated Exec. V.P. Faherty on his good work on this question.

- Victory on Question 2 discussed. Pres. Osborn advised this will go down in Labor history as a great victory. Calls received from Pres. Kirkland and others congratulating on this victory. The President stated that all Labor deserves to share in this event. He outlined the history of the struggle, the problems encountered in the campaign and brought out the fact that early on in the campaign, the Boston Building Trades went to court with the ABC, requiring them to expend some of their monies. This was good strategy for Labor's side. Media campaign discussed. The Problem of the video with the construction worker was discussed and several members of the Council agreed that this should be put behind and concentration should be on the victory.

MMS to accept the President's report. So voted.

V.P. Chirillo congratulated the President on this victory and suggested that a statewide communication go out explaining the situation with the video in question. Pres. Osborn replied that he had already addressed the situation at the Ironworkers meeting and also sent out a letter on the subject to all town and ward coordinators. He further advised that he sent a detailed explanation to the Carpenters State Council in answer to a letter received from them. Upon his return from vacation, Pres. Osborn agreed to address the members of V.P. Chirillo's union and also to consider sending out a more specific communication.

V.P. Dart thanked Pres. Osborn on behalf of western Mass. members and felt a more positive attitude was needed by all union members on this victory. Similar sentiments were expressed by Vice Presidents Alman, Mills, Walsh, Romano. Also, Vice Presidents Olliviere, Butler, LeBlanc, Joyce.

Pres. Osborn advised that a thank you message would be printed in the newspapers in the event someone was inadvertently missed and also for the benefit of the general public.

Sec.-Treas. Haynes explained the video situation in question -- in reply to V.P. Chirillo. V.P. Chirillo advised that the information explaining the issue did not get to him fast enough and he was not equipped to address the issue with his membership.

Plans discussed for running a victory dinner/dance.

MMS to go forward to organize Quality of Life Solidarity celebration. So voted.

Pres. Osborn suggested that the celebration dinner might be an opportunity to honor some people.

MMS to accept the President's report. So voted.

V.P. Romano gave an update on Senate Bill 1812. He advised the bill has to get out of the Senate. He thanked Pres. Osborn and V.P. Joyce for their testimony. He further thanked Director Foley for his last minute efforts on behalf of the bill with the legislators. He thanked all who sent letters to their legislators on behalf of this bill. He advised that he felt it would be coming up again next year.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Dir. Foley advised that the Legislature is back in full session this week.

Dir. Foley reported on the following:

- Blue Laws bill reported out.

- Serious problem with the Asbestos Bill. Director Foley explained the situation and said the language was changed and it was a public health problem. With this change in language, the bill should be saved. Possible plan to form a commission to study the problem was discussed.

Director Foley advised that the Blue Laws provision will be out of Senate Ways and Means next week.

The bill on construction safety will go on the first calendar.

The legislative package for next year discussed. Dir. Foley distributed a packet of information concerning this new legislation. He advised that if anyone had any ideas to get in touch with him.

Situation discussed where legislation is being drafted to prevent apprenticeship training from appearing in ads for employment.

Director Foley reviewed the bills listed on his information packet.

Exec. V.P. Faherty noted that on the Video Display Terminal Bill, there is no interest now because there are no concrete reports of long lasting effects. Further, on the Drug Testing Bill, Dir. Foley advised that we will get a bill. He stated that the NRC will come out with a ruling for all people who work in a nuclear plant to be tested randomly. They want to set up a public law; Labor will not be in accord.

Pres. Osborn stated that we should have something on file in this area.

V.P. Irvin discussed the steel bill.

V.P. Joyce advised he would like to amend the Legislative Program to include legislation reflecting resolutions that have been passed at our state and national conventions. That is, legislation to develop standards for clean, indoor air.

V.P. Joyce suggested calling on the resources of labor management commission in Washington to develop legislation.

MMS to include in our legislative agenda clean air legislation that is being sponsored by the Joint Labor Management Program. So voted.

V.P. Joyce agreed with Dir. Foley re: the Mass. AFL/CIO being opposed to drug testing, saying that it is unrealistic.

Pres. Osborn recommended consulting with the Mass. AFL/CIO Substance Abuse Committee since this matter was referred to them some time ago.

V.P. Dart asked the procedure used to get a question on the ballot. He felt this procedure should be reviewed and legislation should be drafted to make it more difficult to get a question on the ballot. Dir. Foley explained that this procedure is spelled out in the Constitution.

Pres. Osborn recommended that an article be put in the Labor Leader to educate the membership on this.

V.P. Phinney congratulated Director Foley and his Assistant, Margaret O'Connor for their fine work on the Blue Laws legislation. Discussion took place on this bill.

Discussion took place on corporate takeovers and legislation that will protect membership from raids on companies.

V.P. Alman discussed the situation with Zayre Corporation's merger and the effect this will have on the workers.

A lengthy discussion took place on the Drug Testing Bill. V.P. Romano and V.P. Collins discussed the AFL/CIO's position and the possibility of the unions changing or modifying their position.

MMS to request the Substance Abuse Committee to study and make a recommendation on the Drug Testing Bill in time for the next Council meeting. So voted.

Dir. Foley advised that it would be too late to change our position on the drug testing bill -- he felt it could be submitted in its original form and changed at a later date. The position of National AFL/CIO was discussed.

V.P. Irvin advised that this matter would be reviewed by the Mass. AFL/CIO Transportation Committee.

V.P. Chirillo and Exec. V.P. Faherty expressed their concern on this bill. Exec. V.P. Faherty's concern was for the workers to be protected against random drug testing. He said there were at least five cases presently in arbitration.

The situation of testing people who have the responsibility for other's lives was discussed as to whether or not these people should be tested. It was felt that the public safety was the main concern. V.P. Romano advised that there will be a bill in Congress the first of they year. He said the Transportation industry is trying to water it down to take out the random testing.

Dir. Foley asked if the will of the Council was to re-file. If so, he felt he would have to ask people to testify. Pres. Osborn stated that the Council had filed bills in the past without any testimony on them. Dir. Foley advised that he testifies on all bills that he files and he would like to have the support of others who are concerned.

Exec. V.P. Faherty advised that he would testify.

Pres. Osborn stated that all testimony of all bills would be with the approval of the Board.

MMS to accept the Legislative Report. So voted.

SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT

Financial report for September and October noted.

Sec.-Treas. Haynes explained the report -- the receipts, disbursements and balances. No questions were asked by the Council members.

Sec.-Treas. Haynes advised that he worked on the PIC Council and the primary activity over the past month concerned working on the Vote No on Question #2 Campaign.

MMS to accept the Secretary-Treasurer's report. So voted.

Pres. Osborn discussed the situation with the Paperworkers in Jay, Maine, and urged support of their rally. He noted a piece of literature listing the Mass. AFL/CIO as supporters of the rally but was unsure as to how the Council's name got printed since he did not give official authorization. Discussion followed. John Laughlin, the President's assistant, was consulted and he advised that the IP people were supposed to wait for the Council's commitment but went to the printer before hearing back from the President. Pres. Osborn advised that he could not send out any communication not authorized by the Board.

V.P. Joyce advised that the Greater Boston C.L.C. was also listed without confirmation.

MMS that Pres. Osborn investigate this situation with the International Paperworkers President. So voted.

The President reiterated that the Paperworkers cause is one that the Mass. AFL/CIO has always supported but proper channels must be used in getting authorization for literature to be printed.

V.P. Cardinal addressed the Council, thanking Pres. Osborn for the Question #2 victory, and giving a dissertation on JTPA, its history and goals for the future. He advised of his plans to have a conference in early January or February and asked for support in the form of attendance by the Council members. He asked that Sec.-Treas. Haynes be allowed to attend a conference in Washington, D.C. with him for a conference on JTPA. Pres. Osborn suggested that V.P. Cardinal consider scheduling his conference in February since the State of the Union conferences is tentatively being planned for January. The President asked V.P. Chirillo to coordinate this State of the Union Conference with the Council office.

V.P. Mills discussed the merger of #1199 and Service Employees and the internal problems with this merger. She advised that she would be meeting with Robert Fuchs of the NLRB and Pres. Osborn on this matter.

V.P. Mills asked for support at a rally to be held at 5:00 P.M. at 60 State Street that day, concerning the fact that the maintenance people in that building were not recognized as a union to be represented by SEIU.

Exec. V.P. Faherty thanked the officers of the Council for work done on Question #4. He advised that the Energy Committee was to have a meeting on Monday next at the Labor Guild.

V.P. Joyce thanked the Council on behalf of the Greater Boston Central Labor Council for their endorsement of Light Manufacturing Zone.

MMS to accept the minutes of the Executive Officers meeting. So

Roll Call

AGENDA
MASSACHUSETTS AFL/CIO COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 17, 1988
TEACHERS UNION HALL, DORCHESTER MA

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT

DEPARTMENT REPORTS - COPE & LEGISLATION - EDUCATION

COMMUNICATIONS

From the Massachusetts Coalition for the Homeless to Pres. Osborn thanking him for including them in the AFL/CIO Conference agenda on October 7th.

From Joan Pakrer, Pres. of CLUW to Pres. Osborn clarifying their committment to working for the prevailing wage in Massachusetts.

From T. Richard Miner, Jr., Dir. of Development of the Lahey Clinic Foundation to Pres. Osborn inviting him to attend a ground breaking ceremony for the addition to the Lahey Clinic Medical Center.

Letter from Public Employee Department, AFL/CIO re: alcohol and drug abuse - booklet enclosed.

Letter from Local 26, HTRW re: a strike situation on December 1 ... subject is to make housing affordable to working people in the Boston area.

Memo from Richard Wilson, Director of the Department of Organization and Field Services re: TWA Independent Flight Attendant's Union "IFFA".

From Joseph B. McDonough, The Hawthorne Group to Pres. Osborn thanking him, staff and local unions for the help that was given on the campaign to re-elect Royal Bolling.

From Sue Marsh, Exec. Dir. of Massachusetts Coaliton for the Homeless to Pres. Osborn congratulating the AFL/CIO members and supporters on the prevailing wage victory.

From Edward Kennedy to Pres. Osborn thanking him for support in the Senate race.

Remarks of Senator Edward M. Kennedy - Election Night - Nov. 8, 1988

MASSACHUSETTS AFL/CIO
FINANCIAL REPORT
SEPTEMBER 1988

GENERAL FUND	CREDITS	DEBITS
Balance 9/1/88 - Old Account		
Balance 9/1/88 - New Account	991.83	
Receipts - P/C	78,945.46	
Receipts - Nat. AFL/CIO	1,000.00	
Receipts - Credentials	26,162.00	
Receipts - Reimb. Quality of Life	3,189.35	
Disbursements - Old Account		71,421.66
Disbursements - New Account		32,465.84
Disbursements - Payroll		17,536.57
Balance 9/30/88 - Old Account	84,263.00	
Balance 9/30/88 - New Account	54,305.99	

Per Capita Received on 225,558 members

DISBURSEMENTS - OLD ACCOUNT - Bank of New England

1. Presidents' Expense	169.30
2. Sec./Treas. Expense	833.44
3. Staff Expense	1,170.24
4. Rent	2,500.00
5. Telephone	253.95
6. Auto Expense	998.00
7. Electricity	280.73
8. Gas	17.00
9. Parking Fines	15.00
10. Consultant - J. Fine	600.00
11. Equipment Lease	616.05
12. Tickets - Donations	1,609.00
13. American Express	402.80
14. Subscriptions - Dues	110.32
15. Payroll Expense	318.78
16. Health Insurance	1,132.65
17. 44 Temple Place	112.00
18. Insurance - Balance 1987	49.63
19. Park Plaza	989.54
20. Postage	1,500.00
21. Misc. Exp.	243.24
22. Printing	2,099.00
23. Life & Disability Ins.	595.31
24. Messenger	86.00
25. Credit Union	3,219.68
26. Histadrut	1,500.00
27. Benefit Plan	10,000.00
28. Transfer to U.S. Trust	40,000.00
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	71,421.66

DISBURSEMENTS - NEW ACCOUNT

1. PRESIDENTS" Expense	100.00
2. Sec./Treas. Expense	172.00
3. Tickets	375.00
4. Telephone	1,861.01
5. Boston Edison	1,376.74
6. Printing	830.00
7. Donations	349.00
8. Office Expense & Supplies	979.34
9. Postage	4,000.00

DISBURSEMENT - NEW ACCOUNT CONT'D

10. Auto Expense	479.34
11. Delta Dental	367.68
12. 1988 Convention	1,045.25
13. Frontlash	926.27
14. American Express	773.87
15. ADP Payroll Service	132.00
16. Staff Expenses	124.97
17. Message Service	57.05
18. Phone Banks	3,500.00
19. Consultants Fees - J. Fine	1,800.00
20. Audit Fees	2,400.00
21. Health Insurance	8,771.57
22. Equipment, Maint. & Serv.	1,864.24
23. Life Ins.	179.81

32,465.84

ASSETS

Boston Safe Deposit	7,406.69
Money Market	4,568.23
Israel Bond	1,000.00
Dept. of Labor	400.00
Petty Cash	100.00

13,474.92

VOTER REGISTRATIONCREDITSDEBITS

Balance 9/1/88 - Old Account	30,540.07	
Balance 9/30/88 - New Account	992.82	
Transferred from Old Account	5,000.00	
Disbursement - Old Account		7,841.86
Disbursement - New Account		4,384.56
Balance - New Account	1,608.26	
Balance - Old Account	22,698.21	

DISBURSEMENT - NEW ACCOUNT

1. Printing - Dem. Primary	2,667.63
2. Printing - 4,000 letters	549.41
3. Tickets/Donations	45.00
4. Voter Tapes	1,081.14
5. Reimb to Officers (State Dem. Fees)	30.00
6. Checkbook & Serv. Charge	11.38

4,384.56

DISBURSEMENTS - OLD ACCOUNT

1. Watson Mailing	1,255.00
2. Reimb. Exp.	217.70
3. Tickets	100.00
4. APRI	300.00
5. Data Processing	837.16
6. POL 1120	132.00
7. Dep. in new account	5,000.00

7,841.86

PENSION PLAN

Balance 9/1/88	2,846.18
Interest	9.83
Balance 9/30/88	2,856.01

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OCTOBER 1988

GENERAL ACCOUNT	CREDITS	DEBITS
Balance 10/1/88	138,568.99	
Receipts Convention	3,280.00	
Receipts Per Capita	63,857.27	
Receipts Credentials	4,460.00	
Receipts Nat., AFL/CIO	1,200.00	
Receipts Reimb. Coal Miners	150.00	
Receipts Reimb for Quality of Life	692.00	
Disbursements (new account)		103,891.78
Balance 10/30/88 - New Account	108,316.48	
Per Capita Received on - 182,449 members		

DISBURSEMENTS

1. Credential Com. & Sgt. of Arms	3,050.00
2. 1988 Convention Expense	9,537.35
3. Rent	2,500.00
4. Electricity	70.08
5. Telephone	1,460.75
6. Car Lease	3,161.00
7. Gas	360.57
8. Disability & Life Ins.	775.12
9. Pension	1,222.00
10. Dental Plan	367.68
11. Health Ins.	3,965.64
12. Reimb Alcohol & Sub. Abuse	9,000.00
13. COPE Acct. - Sept. .02¢ P/C	4,511.16
14. Sidney Shuman	2,500.00
15. Mailings	3,340.00
16. Publik House	1,432.45
17. 2 Month Retainer	1,000.00
18. Gestetner	3,935.00
19. American Express	360.49
20. Coal Miners Park	150.00
21. Postage	6,000.00
22. Credit Union	4,024.60
23. Fed. & FICA w/tax & Exp. 10/88	9,637.89
24. Mass. W/Tax 10/88	1,326.81
25. Mtg. Exp.	606.40
26. 93 Travel	414.50
27. Printing	1,615.45
28. Petty Cash	300.00
29. Donations	555.00
30. Messenger Service	41.00
31. Equipment Maint. & Serv.	3,124.05
32. Frontlash	865.32
33. Consultant Fee	1,800.00
34. Subscription & Dues	603.53
35. Temp. Secr. Service	1,027.60
36. Office Exp. & Supplies	4,645.94
37. Transfer to Payroll Acct.	14,604.40

Total	103,891.78
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ASSETS

Boston Safe Deposit	7,406.69
Money Market	4,653.10
Israel Bond	1,000.00
Dept. of Labor	400.00
Petty Cash	300.00

13,759.79

PAYROLL ACCOUNTCREDITDEBIT

Balance 10/1/88	8,989.33	
Transferred from Gen. Acct.	14,604.40	

Salaries		17,364.00
Pres. Exp.		762.00
Sec./Treas.		434.75
Staff Exp.		4,275.93
Service Charge		2.69.

Balance 10/30/88	754.36	
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COPE ACCOUNTCREDITDEBIT

Balance 10/1/88	24,306.47	
Transferred from old account	10,000.00	
Transferred from Gen. account (.02¢ p/c)	4,511.16	

Disbursements		22,242.36
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Balance 10/30/88	17,575.27	
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DISBURSEMENTSDISBURSEMENTS

1. Tickets - Donations	3,058.99
2. Voter Registration Tapes	822.96
3. New Checks & Checkbooks	86.60
4. Copy Machine	2,000.00
5. Andover Mailing	3,895.64
6. Sports Cafe - 1/3 Bill Dem. Convention	1,308.12
7. Reimbursement Exp. - Phone Banks	70.05

11,242.36

1. deposited to new account \$10,000.00
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PENSION PLAN

Balance 10/1/88	2,856.01
Interest 10/31/88	10.16
Balance 10/31/88	2,866.17

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS MEETING
OCTOBER 5, 1988

PRESENT: Pres. Osborn, Sec./Treas. Haynes, Exec. V.P. Lydon and
Exec. V.P. Faherty

Request from Cancer Care for donation. Filed.

MMS to have Pres. Osborn call HRDI regarding tickets for
the 20th anniversary banquet on Dec. 6. So voted.

MMS to do as always on the request from the Massachusetts Easter
Seal Society. So voted.

Request from Adam Walsh Child Resource Center. Filed

MMS to purchase a new Gestner machine. So voted.

MMS to purchase one ticket to the Walter Muther Testimonial and
send Marty. So voted.

Exec. Officers polled on 9/30. MMS to send \$100 to Spaulding
Rehabilitation Hospital. So voted.

MMS to sponsor \$100 for Horizons for Youth. So voted.

ROLL CALL
NOV. 17, 1988



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APPRENTICES. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? DRAFTED - check w/ Snow on definitions of "apprentice" and "helper".

BALLOT QUESTION. 1987 - Rep. J. Businger [H. 4201]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. J. Businger [H. 1491]. 1989 - NO.

BIDDING ON PUBLIC WORKS. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? DRAFTED - check on fines & penalties.

CHILD CARE. 1988 - Sen. N. Costello [S. 1261]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES ? *refiled*

CHILD LABOR LAWS. 1987 - Sen. S. Albano [S. 38]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. M. Travinski [H. 1471]. Sen. N. Costello [S. 61]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES. *refiled*

ELECTRICITY IMPORTATION. 1987 - Rep. J. Businger [H. 509]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. J. Businger [H. 1492]. 1989 - Ask Joe Faherty to file ?

ELECTRICIANS - LICENSING. 1988 - Sen. T. White [S. 380] with IBEW #455 - Ed Collins. 1989 - TALK TO E. COLLINS

GAS REBATES. 1988 - Rep. W. Galvin [H. 1696] with IBEW #455 - Ed Collins. 1989 - TALK TO E. COLLINS

INJURED OR ILL EMPLOYEES IN THE WORK PLACE. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Sen. L. Pines [S. 95]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES.

LABOR & INDUSTRIES - DEDICATED REVENUES. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ?

MINIMUM WAGE. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Sen. N. Costello [S. 60]. Rep. J. Businger [H. 1462]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? One bill-one million sponsors. N. Costello requested. YES. REDRAFT - automatic COLA.

MONITORING EMPLOYEES. 1988- MA AFL-CIO. Rep. D. Magnani [H. 1467]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES. REDRAFT ?

MOTION PICTURE PROJECTIONISTS. 1988 - Rep. J. Businger [H. 1766] with AFTRA #812 - Herbert Goldstein. 1989 - TALK TO D. SEGAL

OPENING RETAIL STORES ON SUNDAY. 1987 - Rep. S. Bump [H. 1469] with UFCW # 1445 - J. Phinney & P. Dufault. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO, UFCW. Rep S. Bump [H. 1459] with UFCW # 1445 - J. Phinney & P. Dufault. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES.

OSHA - STATE PLAN. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO, AIM. SPONSOR: ?

PARENTING LEAVE. 1987 - Rep. M. Clapprood [H. 1477] & Sen. L. Pines [S. 57]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep.s J. Businger, S. O'Brien [H. 1461]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES. REDRAFT must add adoption section - up ante?

PLANT CLOSING. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. D. Bosley. [H. 1457]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? Many sponsors. YES.

PREVAILING WAGE - HOUSING CONSTRUCTION. 1988 - Rep. J. Brett [H. 5050] with Capenters - Mike Molinari. 1989 - TALK TO M. MOLINARI.

PROPERTY IN TAKEOVERS. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? DRAFTED - check w/ Rome.

RIGHT TO KNOW. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. S. O'Brien, Sen. J. Burke. [H. 1469]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? Many sponsors. YES.

SAFETY IN CONSTRUCTION. 1988 - Rep. M. McGlynn [H. 1468] with IUEO #4 - Ed Sullivan. 1989 - TALK TO E. SULLIVAN.

SEVERANCE PAY. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? DRAFTED - check w/ Rome.

TECHNOLOGICAL ASSISTANCE FUND. 1987 - Rep.s K. Lemanski & D. Magnani [H. 1483]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. D. Magnani [H. 1465]. 1989 - NO.

TESTING OF EMPLOYEES. 1987 - Rep. D. Cohen [H. 1478]. 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. D. Cohen [H. 1463]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE - EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY 1988 - MA AFL-CIO. Rep. D. Magnani & Sen. J. Burke [H. 1466]. 1989 - MA AFL-CIO. SPONSOR: ? YES ? Talk to DES and Jim Snow

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On October 10th, the leaders of the United Paperworkers strike against International Paper Corp. (IP) terminated the nearly 16 month old dispute. Many area unions believed that the outcome of the strike would have an important impact on the entire labor movement. Its sudden termination sent shock waves throughout New England.

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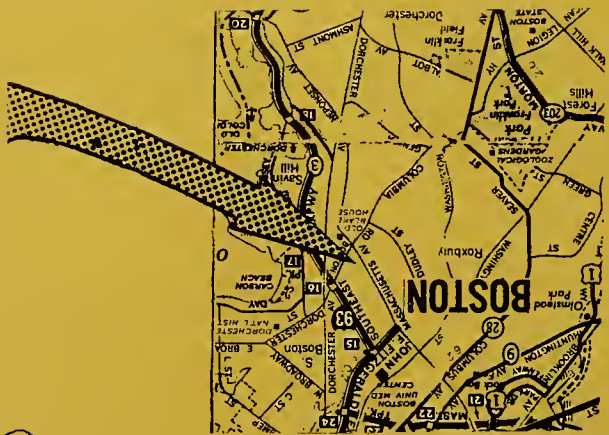
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EXPERIENCE

1985-present. ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL. Trial attorney with the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of the Department of the Attorney General ("white collar crimes" prosecutor).

1977-1985. ATTORNEY. Engaged in private practice in Boston, in association with nine attorneys. General practice principally focused upon litigation: tort, products liability, criminal, divorce, estate, contracts.

1976-1977. NATIONAL CONSUMER LAW CENTER, INC. Independent contract for analysis and comparison of consumer protection laws of several states.

1975-1976. LEGAL AID, BOSTON UNIVERSITY. Legal assistant, representing indigent persons in the fields of consumer protection, tort, housing and real estate law.

1975. BOSTON CITY COUNCIL. Researcher: analyzed Constitutional issues involved in municipal financial aid to private schools. Drafted City Council orders and home rule proposals.

1970-1972. WTIC TV, CHANNEL 3, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT. Camera Crew, involved in both technical and journalistic aspects of news presentation.

EDUCATION

Boston University School of Law, J. D. 1976

Bowdoin College, A. B. Cum Laude 1973 (Political Science: departmental honors).

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE

United States Supreme Court

United States Court of Appeals, First Circuit

United States District Courts: District of Massachusetts

District of Connecticut

Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

(prior to joining the Department of the Attorney General)

Massachusetts Correctional Legal Services Panel

Medical Malpractice Tribunals.

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Boston Bar Association and Massachusetts Bar Association

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

Vice-Chairman of the Cohasset Town Democratic Committee;
Co-founder, first President off Support of Solidarity (S.O.S.),
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Co-founder and former Vice-Chairman of Polish Relief Fund of
Boston;

Press Agent for R.S.P. POMOST;

Ad hoc press agent for the United Food & Commercial Workers
International Union, Local No. 616 AFL-CIO & CLC;

Past President of the Bowdoin Club of Boston;

Member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of
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PERSONAL

Married to Elizabeth T. L. Laas

Children: Christopher (8), Alicia (5) and Nicholas (4).

ADDENDUM TO THE RESUME OF MAREK L. LAAS

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Since February 1985 I have served the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit (MFCU) of the Department of the Attorney General. In this service, I have led investigations and prosecuted economic crimes. MFCU investigates physicians, nursing homes, mental health services providers, medical laboratories, pharmaceutical manufacturers and transportation providers, among others.

Before I joined the Department of the Attorney General, I enjoyed a broad general practice. I defended clients accused of transgressions ranging from shoplifting to narcotics and firearms violations, to spying. I served as counsel in tort matters, products liability, medical malpractice, industrial accidents, family relations, real estate, wills and estates, corporate, immigration and intellectual property problems.

My practice has always been dominated by litigation matters. Of course, the vast majority of the cases were settled at some stage short of complete trial. I tried my first case while in

law school, under the auspices of the Greater Boston Legal Assistance Project. Following admission to the Bar, my practice was dominated by District Court appointed criminal cases. Within two years, my practice had become more evenly divided between criminal and civil matters, and I tried complex divorce and estate matters, as well as product liability and tort claims.

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

I co-founded and served as the first President (1981-1985) of Support of Solidarity (S.O.S.), Inc. S.O.S. quickly grew to a national membership organization of some 2500 members. It's goals were the assistance of the Polish Trade Union Solidarity by educational efforts, as outlined above; by formulating, advocating and lobbying for policy positions; by cooperating with other labor, civil rights and ethnic groups; by assisting leaders and members of Solidarity in exile; and above all by providing moral support, by telling the workers of Poland that they were not forgotten. Occasionally, S.O.S. raised money for specific purposes, as requested by the underground in Poland. In one instance, we raised over \$2,000.00 for the underground printers

in the Poznan region of Poland, where the need was especially great.

I co-founded and served as a Vice-Chairman (1980-1983) of the Polish Relief Fund, a local organization which raised money, obtained medications, clothing and other goods for the people of Poland. Within a few months following December 13, 1981, the Polish Relief Fund sent over \$40,000.00, through the Catholic Church and other charitable agencies, to the people of Poland.

I am a co-founder and member of the Polish Social Cultural Association, a local organization dedicated to the assistance to the recent immigrants from Poland and to the creation of civic structures, such as Polish language schools and preschools, supporting the adjustment of recent immigrants to their new environment.

I am a member of Friends of Poland, Inc., a New Bedford organization which provides medical text books to Polish universities and medical academies.

I have been a member and local press agent for R.S.P. Pomost, a national organization dedicated to mobilizing and

exercising within the U.S., the political power of Polish-American citizens.

I am a member of the Polish-American Congress, a national organization with a general jurisdiction to work for the good of all Polish-Americans.

I am a member of the Board of Directors and past (1985-1987) President of the Bowdoin Club of Boston, an organization which strives to preserve and foster loyalty and affection for Bowdoin College of Brunswick, Maine.

In 1987 and 1988 I have organized the Bowdoin Club of Boston's annual Alumni Seminar. The Alumni Seminar Series provides the opportunity to Boston area alumni to explore with professors from their alma matter the frontiers of academic and the areas of innovative research being pursued at the College.

I am a member of the local board of directors of the Jewish Labor Committee, an organization which concerns itself with labor issues and which supports labor movement.

I am a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

Following the imposition of the "state of war" in Poland on December 13, 1980, I have given lectures and talks on the history of Poland, the trade movement Solidarity, the Church-State relations in Poland, the current political developments in Poland and the U.S.-Polish relations at various New England colleges and universities, including Harvard University, Boston College, Boston University and Holy Cross College. I have spoken to high school audiences and before social, political, ethnic, labor, religious and fraternal organizations.

I have organized showings of contemporary and classic Polish films, and films containing Polish themes, to the general public as well as to college and church groups.

I organized symposia and lectures by leaders of the Solidarity Trade Union, scholars, diplomats and political figures concerned with this issue.

I sought to reach the general public by organizing demonstrations and rallies which focused attention and public concern on the plight of Poles in their Soviet dominated society and on the violations of civil rights in Poland and central

Europe.

I have spoken as a guest and commentator on many radio and TV news and talk shows. By keeping an informed, balanced view of the issues, I have earned the trust not only of the local media, the producers and reporters at channels 2, 4, 5, 7 and 56, but also of reporters at Voice of America and Radio Free Europe. For almost a year, I also hosted monthly talk show on WPPT. I have worked closely with the International Rescue Committee in assisting them in the resettlement program for Poles in this country. In a particularly difficult case, I was able, through IRC's assistance, to help the families of two Solidarity leaders, who were stranded in West Berlin, to come to the United States.

I assisted in the formation and development of the weekly Polish language news and cultural radio program produced by Polish Cultural Broadcasting. I have appeared on a number of weekly segments.

Currently, I am assisting in the development and production of a Polish language cable and television program. A few segments of the program, featuring interviews I have conducted,

have already aired.

When Colonial Provision Co. of Boston was threatened with closing and loss of over 600 jobs, upon sale of the company to a competitor Thorn Apple Valley Co., I was approached by the leadership of the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union, Local No. 616 AFL-CIO & CLC. They sought advice in organizing opposition to the sale. After a number of sessions with the workers, I was asked to serve as their press agent.

In the Town of Cohasset, I direct a local cable talk show entitled "Pierson to Person." This show addresses local issues, academic topics and also significant regional and national issues, by inviting and interviewing local, state and national officials; members of the academia; and citizens informed and involved in the issues. The show has also provided comprehensive coverage of the town meetings and elections.

I also serve as technical director for "NewsBeat 53," a South Shore cable news program with a regional focus.



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For Immediate Release
October 31, 1988

I. P. MILL REJECTS CONTRACT

International Paper Co.'s, Beckett Paper Mill, in Hamilton, Ohio, rejected I.P.'s contract proposal by better than a 2 to 1 margin. Rodney Harbrecht, President of UPIU Local #1968, Hamilton, Ohio, said that he was "very pleased with the vote".

International Paper Company now has 23 plants with rejected contracts; and a possibility of 18 more by the end of 1989.

In light of record profits, for this year, which will be approaching \$1,000,000,000, workers showed their discontent with another concessionary contract.

November 11, 1988

Arthur Osborn, Director
Massachusetts AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education
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Dear Mr. Osborn:

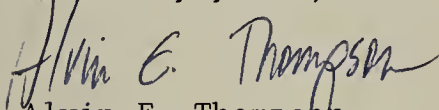
I am writing to thank you and the members of the C.O.P.E. endorsements committee for your assistance in my battle for the State Representative's seat in the 28th Middlesex District.

As you know, I was successful, by around 3,300 votes.

I believe your organization's endorsement, in addition to the mailing that was done, was very important in my victory. Communicating my opponent's earlier opposition to the Prevailing Wage was particularly important.

I look forward to working on issues of mutual concern in the future.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Alvin E. Thompson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Alvin" being more prominent.

Alvin E. Thompson
Representative-Elect
28th Middlesex District

Reminder

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1980-2 1/2, 1983-Jobs Justice - 1986 TAX CAP
① Quality of Life Campaign Really Began ①
2 YEARS Ago with the Democratic Party
Platform. - Health CARE, Education, Jobs (w P/W)
+ AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

② The PARTY Platform GAVE US The Vehicle
To Use The Democratic TOWN + WARD Committees.
Also Tied in All CONGRESSMAN.

Feb. 88
③ INTERNAL UNION ORGANIZING - 600 LOCAL UNION
COORDINATORS - MOSTLY NON-TRADES UNIONS.

④ Democratic ISSUES Convention - VOTE NO ②
Takes Center Stage - campaign field kickoff. 2,500 Pledge
Cards Signed AT Convention. - JUNE 1988

⑤ MASS AFL/CIO begins to Build
Coalition Groups And Educate Union members
About P/W. Regional Local Union Coordinators,
meetings Are held in LATE June.

⑥ CLC'S Appoint NON-TRADES Coordinators
For Regions.

- ⑦ Polling of General Public Begins in MAY ^③
To help decide Theme for T.V. Ads.
- ⑧ Campaign Spokesmen are Trained And Newspaper
Editorial Boards are Visited throughout The Summer
June
- ⑨ Town Coordinators from Trades, + Non-Trades
are Selected. Q.A. Trades Regional Coordinators
started the real Building of
Town Groups - Tommy Mac-Isaac
- ⑩ Polls Taken To Test T.V. Ads.
Flynn & Murphy

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